

To the Honourable Judges of the Court of Common
Pleas of Beaver County at June Term 1849 -
The Petition of Henry Bordaon a native of
Canada -

Respectfully Sheweth -

That your petitioner is a free white person, ~~and an alien~~ and is desirous of becoming a citizen of the United States of America, that in pursuance of an act of Congress, intitled

"An Act to establish an uniform rule of naturalization" and to repeal the acts heretofore passed on that subject, he has made a declaration of his intention to become a citizen and report and registry of his nativity, age, allegiance, migration, arrival and intended place of settlement in the United States conformably to the said act, a declaration of which is hereto annexed - setting forth that he was born in the year 1825 in Stappinville in ~~Canada~~ ~~where~~ he emigrated in the year 1839 -

That he has resided within the United States three years next preceeding his arriving at the age of 21 years and has continued to reside therein until the time of making the present application; that including the aforesaid three years of his minority, he has resided within the limits and under the Jurisdiction of the United States five years and upwards; that your petitioner has been during all the above mentioned time attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same; and that it has been ~~found~~ ~~his~~ ~~intention~~ to become a citizen thereof

Your petitioner therefore prays your Honourable Court, that upon making proof of all matters and things set forth in this petition, and upon complying with the conditions, stipulations and restrictions contained in an act of the Senate & House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled passed the 26th day of May A.D. 1824, he may be admitted to become